

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 4378

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served August 26, 1994

M.R. HOPKINS TRANSPORTATION )  
SERVICES, INC., Trading as M.R. )  
HOPKINS TRANSPORTATION, Suspension )  
and Investigation of Revocation of )  
Certificate No. 248 )

Case No. MP-94-32

Commission Regulation No. 58-03(c) requires respondent to maintain on file with the Commission one or more certificates of insurance showing total coverage of \$5 million, combined-single-limit. When respondent's certificate of insurance expired on August 16, 1994, the Commission issued Order No. 4366, initiating this investigation and noticing the suspension of respondent's operating authority. Respondent was directed to file a new certificate of insurance within 30 days or face revocation.

On August 19, 1994, respondent filed a certificate of insurance showing coverage of only \$1.5 million. That certificate was inadvertently accepted for filing under Commission Rule No. 8-01 in satisfaction of Order No. 4366. Under Rule No. 8-02, however, such acceptance did not waive the \$5 million coverage requirement of Regulation No. 58-03(c). As a result, Order No. 4372, lifting the suspension of respondent's operating authority and terminating this investigation, was issued in error, and respondent remains in noncompliance with the insurance provisions of the Compact and regulations thereunder.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That Order No. 4372 is hereby vacated, and Certificate of Authority No. 248, issued to M.R. Hopkins Transportation Services, Inc., trading as M.R. Hopkins Transportation, is hereby declared invalid and automatically suspended pursuant to Article XI, Section 7(g), of the Compact and Commission Regulation No. 58-02.

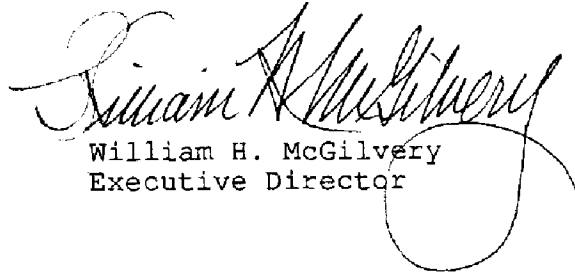
2. That this proceeding is hereby reopened pursuant to Commission Rule No. 26-04 for the purpose of determining whether Certificate of Authority No. 248 shall be revoked under Article XI, Section 10(c), of the Compact, for respondent's willful failure to comply with the insurance provisions of the Compact and regulations thereunder.

3. That respondent is directed to file within 30 days from the date of this order an appropriate certificate of insurance, or such other evidence, in writing and under oath, as it may deem pertinent to show cause why its certificate of authority should not be revoked.

4. That respondent is hereby directed to cease and desist from conducting transportation subject to the Compact, unless and until otherwise ordered by the Commission.

5. That respondent may file within 15 days from the date of this order a request for oral hearing.

FOR THE COMMISSION:



William H. McGilvery  
Executive Director